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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: FARID N. NAJM ET AL.  
Filed: AUGUST 20, 2001  
For: APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR CHARACTERIZING  
ELECTRONIC CIRCUITS HAVING MULTIPLE POWER  
SUPPLIES  
Serial No.: 09/933,532  
Examiner: PROCTOR, J.  
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